

# DHS Grants for Review

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**1 Agency:** Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adults & Behavioral Health Services

**Grantee:** Better Community Development, Inc.  
Little Rock, Arkansas

**Term:** 5/20/25 – 9/30/25

**Selection:** Request for Applications

**Cost:** \$500,000.00

**Sub-Grant #** 4600050454

**Fund Source:** Federal – 100%

**Purpose:** Amend. #: A04 Amend. Amt.: \$100,000.00.  
Amend to add funds and increase Total Projected Cost to continue this subgrant for Faith-Based Treatment Initiatives to provide residential services, faith services, evidence-based substance use education, recovery support, life skill development, employment readiness skills and clinical services. Service Area: Conway, Faulkner, Grant, Hot Spring, Jefferson, Lonoke, Perry, Pulaski, Saline, and Yell Counties.

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**2 Agency:** Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adults & Behavioral Health Services

**Grantee:** Daughters of the Other Side  
Searcy, Arkansas

**Term:** 5/20/25 – 9/30/25

**Selection:** Request for Applications

**Cost:** 500,000.00

**Sub-Grant #** 4600050455

**Fund Source:** Federal – 100%

**Purpose:** Amend. #: A04 Amend. Amt.: \$100,000.00  
Amend to add funds and increase Total Projected Cost to continue this subgrant for Faith-Based Treatment Initiatives to provide residential services, faith services, evidence-based substance use education, recovery support, life skill development, employment readiness skills and clinical services. Service Area: Clay, Cleburne, Crittenden, Craighead, Cross, Greene, Independence, Izard, Jackson, Lawrence Mississippi, Fulton, Poinsett, Randolph, Sharp, Stone, White and Woodruff Counties.

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**3 Agency:** Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adults & Behavioral Health Services

**Grantee:** Safe Haven Ministries, Inc.  
Clarksville, Arkansas

**Term:** 5/20/25 – 9/30/25

**Selection:** Request for Applications

**Cost:** \$500,000.00

**Sub-Grant #** 4600050456

**Fund Source:** Federal – 100%

**Purpose:** Amend. #: A04 Amend. Amt.: \$100,000.00  
Amend to add funds and increase Total Projected Cost to continue this subgrant for Faith-Based Treatment Initiatives to provide residential services, faith services, evidence-based substance use education, recovery support, life skill development, employment readiness skills and clinical services. Service Area: Baxter, Benton, Boone, Carroll, Crawford, Franklin, Johnson, Logan, Madison, Marion, Newton, Pope, Searcy, Scott, Sebastian, Van Buren, and Washington Counties.

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**4 Agency:** **Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adults & Behavioral Health Services**

**Grantee:** SOZO Recovery Centers, Inc.  
Hot Springs Village, Arkansas

**Term:** 5/20/25 – 9/30/25 **Selection:** Request for Applications

**Cost:** \$500,000.00 **Sub-Grant #** 4600050457

**Fund Source:** Federal – 100%

**Purpose:** **Amend. #: A04** **Amend. Amt.: \$100,000.00**

Amend to add funds and increase Total Projected Cost to continue this subgrant for Faith-Based Treatment Initiatives to provide residential services, faith services, evidence-based substance use education, recovery support, life skill development, employment readiness skills and clinical services. Service Area: Calhoun, Clark, Columbia, Dallas, Garland, Hempstead, Howard, Lafayette, Little River, Miller, Montgomery, Nevada, Ouachita, Pike, Polk, Sevier, and Union Counties.

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**5 Agency:** **Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adults & Behavioral Health Services**

**Grantee:** Bridging the Gap of Arkansas  
Texarkana, Arkansas

**Term:** 4/1/25 – 9/30/25 **Selection:** Solicited Proposal

**Cost:** \$320,000.00 **Sub-Grant #** 4600054058

**Fund Source:** Federal – 100%

**Purpose:** **Amend. #: A02** **Amend. Amt.: \$20,000.00**

Amend to revise Budget, add funds and increase the Total Projected Cost to this Partnership for Success program that will help reduce the onset and progression of substance misuse and its related problems by supporting the development and delivery of state and community substance misuse prevention and mental health promotion services. Service Area: Miller, Union, Lafayette, Columbia, Nevada, Ouachita, Calhoun, Dallas, Hempstead, Little River, Sevier, Polk, Scott, Logan, Sebastian, Franklin, Crawford, and Howard Counties.

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**6 Agency:** **Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adults & Behavioral Services**

**Grantee:** Community Empowerment Council, Inc.  
White Hall, Arkansas

**Term:** 4/1/25 – 9/30/25 **Selection:** Solicited Proposal

**Cost:** \$350,000.00 **Sub-Grant #** 4600054060

**Fund Source:** Federal – 100%

**Purpose:** **Amend. #: A02** **Amend. Amt.: \$50,000.00**

Amend to revise Budget, add funds and increase Total Projected Cost to continue this sub-grant to fund a Partnership for Success program that will help reduce the onset and progression of substance misuse and its related problems by supporting the development and delivery of state and community substance misuse prevention and mental health promotion services. Service Area: Arkansas, Ashley, Bradley, Chicot, Cleveland, Desha, Drew, Grant, Jefferson, and Lincoln Counties.

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**7 Agency:** Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adults & Behavioral Health Services

**Grantee:** Crowley's Ridge Development Council Inc.  
Jonesboro, Arkansas

**Term:** 4/1/25 – 9/30/25 **Selection:** Solicited Proposal

**Cost:** \$320,000.00 **Sub-Grant #** 4600054061

**Fund Source:** Federal – 100%

**Purpose:** Amend. #: A02 **Amend. Amt.:** \$20,000.00  
Amend to revise Budget, add funding and increase Total Projected Cost to continue this subgrant that will fund a Partnership for Success program that will help reduce the onset and progression of substance misuse and its related problems by supporting the development and delivery of state and community substance misuse prevention and mental health promotion services. Service Area: Clay, Cleburne, Craighead, Crittenden, Cross, Fulton, Greene, Independence, Izard, Jackson, Lawrence, Lee, Mississippi, Monroe, Phillips, Poinsett, Randolph, Sharp, St. Francis, Stone, Van Buren, White, and Woodruff Counties.

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**8 Agency:** Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adult & Behavioral Health Services

**Grantee:** A W Holdings, LLC dba Benchmark Human Services  
Fort Wayne, Indiana

**Term:** 3/1/25 – 12/31/25 **Selection:** Solicited Proposal

**Cost:** \$249,251.56 **Sub-Grant #** 4600055821

**Fund Source:** Transformation Transfer  
Initiative – 100%

**Purpose:** Amend. #: N00 **Amend. Amt.:**  
To initiate an agreement to develop an innovative pilot program to recreate an effective system of care to divert individuals diagnosed, or dually diagnosed, with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD) to more appropriate placements other than incarceration. Service Area: Statewide.

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**9 Agency:** Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adults & Behavioral Health Services

**Grantee:** River Valley Medical Wellness LLC  
Little Rock, Arkansas

**Term:** 4/1/25 – 9/29/25 **Selection:** Solicited Proposal

**Cost:** \$428,000.00 **Sub-Grant #** 4600055866

**Fund Source:** Federal – 100%

**Purpose:** Amend. #: N00 **Amend. Amt.:**  
To initiate an agreement to address the opioid crisis at the local community level through evidence-based strategies for the prevention, treatment, and recovery for individuals with Substance Use Disorders (SUD), capacity building, collaboration, and adherence to grant requirements. Service Area: Statewide.

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**10 Agency:** Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adults & Behavioral Health Services

**Grantee:** ARM180  
DeWitt, Arkansas

**Term:** 5/20/25 - 9/30/25

**Selection:** Request for Applications

**Cost:** \$500,000.00

**Sub-Grant #** 4600050453

**Fund Source:** Federal – 100%

**Purpose:**

**Amend. #: A04**

**Amend. Amt.: \$100,000.00**

To create a subgrant for Faith-Based Treatment Initiatives to provide residential services, faith services,, evidence-based substance use education, recovery support, life skill development, employment readiness skills and clinical services. Service Area: Arkansas, Ashley, Bradley, Chicot, Cleveland, Desha, Drew, Lee, Lincoln, Monroe, Phillips, Prairie, and St. Francis Counties.

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**11 Agency:** Human Services Department/Division of Aging Adults & Behavioral Health Services

**Grantee:** St. Francis House NWA Inc. dba Community Clinic  
Springdale, Arkansas

**Term:** 4/1/25 – 9/30/25

**Selection:** Solicited Proposal

**Cost:** \$300,000.00

**Sub-Grant #** 4600054059

**Fund Source:** Federal – 100%

**Purpose:**

**Amend. #: A03**

**Amend. Amt.: \$0.00**

Amend to revise budget to continue to fund a Partnership for success program that will help reduce the onset and progression of substance misuse and its related problems by supporting the development and delivery of state and community substance misuse prevention and mental health promotion services. Service Area: Washington, Benton, Madison, Carroll, Newton, Searcy, Boone, Marion, Baxter, Johnson, Pope, Conway, Faulkner, Yell, and Perry Counties.

**ADH Discretionary Sub Grants for February 2025 Review Subcommittee of the ALC**

**1. Agency:** 0645 - Arkansas Department of Health  
**Division of:** Administration  
**Branch:** Office of Health Disparities Elimination  
**Section:**

**Grantee:** AMDPA Foundation Inc  
P. O. Box 55104  
Little Rock, AR 72215-5104

**Term:** 03/01/2025 to 05/31/2026  
**Cost:** \$2,001,840.00  
**Funding Source:** 100% Federal

**Selection:** Unsolicited Proposal  
**Agreement #:** 4600049835

**Purpose:** **Amendment #:** 04 **Amount:** \$1,351,840.00  
Amend to extend the ending date to 05/31/2026 and to add \$1,351,840.00 in funding to continue to strengthen Arkansas pharmacy workforce initiative to focus on targeted education, training, and professional development to enhance medication management, expand access to quality care, and to address the growing demand for skilled professionals, statewide.

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**2. Agency:** 0645 - Arkansas Department of Health  
**Division of:** Administration  
**Branch:** Office of Health Disparities Elimination  
**Section:**

**Grantee:** Arkansas Birthing Project  
401 Scott St.  
Little Rock, AR 72201-3809

**Term:** 03/01/2025 to 05/31/2026  
**Cost:** \$977,489.00  
**Funding Source:** 100% Federal

**Selection:** Unsolicited Proposal  
**Agreement #:** 4600055808

**Purpose:** **Amendment #:** **Amount:** \$  
To improve health outcomes for pregnant women, and their families, in underserved and rural communities in Arkansas through a comprehensive initiative by improving birth outcomes, enhancing mother-daughter communication, providing comprehensive support to pregnant women, and engaging fathers.

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**3. Agency:** 0645 - Arkansas Department of Health  
**Division of:** Administration  
**Branch:** Office of Health Disparities Elimination  
**Section:**

**Grantee:** Arkansas Coalition of Marshallese  
614 E. Emma Avenue  
Suite 113  
Springdale, AR 72764-4400

**Term:** 03/01/2025 to 05/31/2026  
**Cost:** \$661,620.00  
**Funding Source:** 100% Federal

**Selection:** Unsolicited Proposal  
**Agreement #:** 4600055809

**Purpose:** **Amendment #:** **Amount:** \$  
To reduce health disparities within the Arkansas Marshallese community by addressing health-related social needs through various program components, including support services, education and outreach, food insecurity, and language services while preserving cultural identity.

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**4. Agency: 0645 - Arkansas Department of Health**  
**Division of: Administration**  
**Branch: Office of Health Disparities Elimination**  
**Section:**

**Grantee: Baptist Health Foundation**  
**9601 Baptist Health Drive**  
**Little Rock, AR 72205-6321**

**Term: 03/01/2025 to 05/31/2026**  
**Cost: \$1,026,000.00**  
**Funding Source: 100% Federal**

**Selection: Unsolicited Proposal**  
**Agreement #: 4600055830**

**Purpose:** **Amendment #:** **Amount: \$**  
To help Baptist Health's Community Outreach Department address significant health disparities in areas of need across the state to promote evidence-based concepts to improve the health of populations that are underserved by providing home-based chronic disease management tools, increasing access to home safety and injury prevention devices for seniors and new/expectant mothers, and improving access to health education, self-care, and safety resources for unsheltered populations.

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**5. Agency: 0645 - Arkansas Department of Health**  
**Division of: Administration**  
**Branch: Office of Health Disparities Elimination**  
**Section:**

**Grantee: Hurricane HYPE Center**  
**3319 S. Ohio Street**  
**Pine Bluff, AR 71601-7167**

**Term: 03/01/2025 to 05/31/2026**  
**Cost: \$916,220.40**  
**Funding Source: 100% Federal**

**Selection: Solicited Proposal**  
**Agreement #: 4600051906**

**Purpose:** **Amendment #: 04** **Amount: \$520,400.00**  
Amend to extend the ending date 05/31/2026 and to add \$520,400.00 in funding to continue to improve community health outcomes by establishing an accessible community health hub to promote physical activity, enhance health literacy, integrate health technologies and address health-related social needs.

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**6. Agency: 0645 - Arkansas Department of Health**  
**Division of: Administration**  
**Branch: Office of Health Disparities Elimination**  
**Section:**

**Grantee: Randy D Walker, M. D., PLLC**  
**P O. Box 740**  
**DeQueen, AR 71832-0740**

**Term: 03/01/2025 to 05/31/2026**  
**Cost: \$226,020.00**  
**Funding Source: 100% Federal**

**Selection: Unsolicited Proposal**  
**Agreement #: 4600055810**

**Purpose:** **Amendment #:** **Amount: \$**  
To improve access to preventive health services for rural and underserved populations in Sevier County by organizing and promoting community health screening events through partnerships with local healthcare providers, community organizations, and faith-based groups.

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**7. Agency: 0645 - Arkansas Department of Health  
Division of: Administration  
Branch: Office of Health Disparities Elimination  
Section:**

**Grantee: Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation  
225 E. Markham Street  
Suite 200  
Little Rock, AR 72201-1636**

**Term: 03/01/2025 to 05/31/2026  
Cost: \$1,201,133.00  
Funding Source: 100% Federal**

**Selection: Unsolicited Proposal  
Agreement #: 4600049959**

**Purpose: Amendment #: 04 Amount: \$601,133.00  
Amend to extend the ending date to 05/31/2026 and to add \$601,133.00 in funding to continue to support initiatives to improve health outcomes in Arkansas Southeast and Southwest public health regions with a focus on expanding access to health and nutritional resources**

Dept. of Agriculture Promotion Board Grants for Review

1. Agency: 9901 – Arkansas Corn & Grain Sorghum Promotion Board

Grantee: Arkansas Farm Bureau Federation  
P.O. Box 31  
Little Rock, AR 72203

Term: 2/1/2025 – 6/30/2026

Selection: Submitted Proposal

Cost: \$15,000

Funding Source: Special Revenues

Purpose: This grant provides curriculum and programming for an elementary grade level pilot program related to the benefits and uses of corn products.

2. Agency: 9901 – Arkansas Rice Research & Promotion Board

Grantee: G & H Associates  
2304 Shady Grove  
Stuttgart, AR 72160

Term: 2/1/2025 – 6/30/2026

Selection: Submitted Proposal

Cost: \$120,000

Funding Source: Special Revenues

Purpose: To develop and identify Agronomic practices that enhance grain yield and milling quality of Arkansas grown rice that is acceptable to both foreign and domestic markets.